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C. J. BRAREN

The Men's Outfitter

Specials for July

Stetson Hats, regular \$10.00 for \$8.50
 Panama Hats, regular 6.50 for 4.00
 Panama Hats, regular 5.00 for 2.50

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 Regular \$70.00 for \$50.00
 Regular 62.50 for \$45.00
 Regular 50.00 for \$35.00
 Regular 32.50 for \$27.50

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Keep her away from that hot bake oven which ruins her good looks and disposition.

Don't allow her to bake bread—Tell her to buy Barber's—Fresh—fine flavored, and made with the best and purest ingredients that money can buy.

Its Real Bread, Say Barber's.

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CLARESHOLM

FARMERS VICTORIOUS

United Farmers Elect 37 Out of 61 Members

The latest returns from Monday's election give the United Farmers 37, Liberals 15, Independents 4, Labor 4, vacant 1. The vacant seat is that of P. Barker the newly elected Farmer member for Ponoka, died the following day from injuries received while felling a tree two weeks previously.

The landslide was not confined to any one section of the province. The far northern seats were as strongly Farmer as those in the south.

Only three cabinet ministers pulled through a victory. These were Hon. Chas. Stewart, who was elected by acclamation, Hon. Chas. R. Mitchell, who carried Bow Valley by over a thousand majority, and Hon. J. R. Boyle who was successful in Edmonton city where the entire Liberal slate of five candidates carried.

The defeated cabinet ministers are Hon. Archie McLean, Hon. Duncan Marshall, Hon. George P. Smith, and Hon. J. L. Cote.

Before the dissolution of the Legislature the standing of the parties was: Liberals 34, Conservatives 18, Labor 1, Non-Partisan 2, Farmer 1, Soldier Representatives 2.

It is expected that will be about the middle of August before the Stewart government can be ready to turn over the affairs of the province to the new administration. There is a considerable volume of departmental business that still remains to be closed up, and for this reason it now looks as though it will be the middle of the month before the turn-over can be made.

The campaign in Claresholm riding was a very strenuous one, which naturally led to a public feeling when the result became definitely known. In accordance with this feeling the Milnes supporters held a big jollification on Monday night, with a bonfire and torchlight procession. During the parade one of the militant suffragette supporters of the opposition candidate "set" him up to the ice cream to the victor, which, however, owing to the method of administration, we may say was not greatly appreciated by the recipient.

T. C. MILNES ELECTED

Following are the unofficial returns from the various polls in Claresholm constituency at Monday's election:

| | Milnes | McKinney |
|------------------------|--------|----------|
| Clear Lake | 8 | 29 |
| Star Line | 8 | 23 |
| Badger Flat | 17 | 29 |
| Olsen Creek | 10 | 6 |
| Rocky Coulee | 6 | 22 |
| Jumbo Valley | 14 | 13 |
| Hollandale | 8 | 15 |
| Roselawn | 27 | 12 |
| Graum | 103 | 48 |
| Halpinder | 22 | 11 |
| Grain Belt | 22 | 12 |
| Five Mile | 19 | 24 |
| Claresholm View | 24 | 15 |
| Mountain Peak | 4 | 22 |
| Prairie View | 11 | 32 |
| West Claresholm | 114 | 105 |
| East Claresholm | 120 | 89 |
| Hosier | 11 | 45 |
| Woodhouse | 4 | 13 |
| Chinook | 24 | 17 |
| Daily Creek | 18 | 10 |
| Porcupine Hills | 15 | 12 |
| Round Up | 15 | 13 |
| Carforth | 8 | 25 |
| Northern Light | 1 | 17 |
| Front Creek | 27 | 14 |
| Greenbank | 9 | 22 |
| Willow Creek | 8 | 13 |
| Kohler Coulee | 2 | 6 |
| 4 Ranch | 13 | 0 |
| Schafer | 21 | 14 |
| Meadow Creek | 22 | 22 |
| Footsills Lumber Mills | 8 | 2 |
| Happy Valley | 2 | 1 |
| Meade Creek | 9 | 4 |
| Maycroft | 15 | 0 |
| North Fork | 18 | 15 |

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Eastern provinces are suffering worse from drought and hot weather than we are in Alberta. There have been many deaths from heat in the eastern cities and forest fires are destroying much valuable timber and menacing life.

NOTICE

Tax Recovery Act, Sec. 42, Form "A"

Take Notice that certain lands within the limits of the Town of Claresholm have been sold under the Tax Recovery Act.

The period of redemption will expire on October 2nd next and a full description of these lands may be seen in the issue of the "Alberta Gazette" of July 15th.

W. C. Miller,
 Secretary-Treasurer,
 Town of Claresholm.

McKinney's Summer Specials

Men's Suits \$14.95, in blue, brown and green. Young men's models, good fitting and well finished. Very special value.

Ladies' White Canvas Shoes, Louis heel, regular \$5.00 for \$3.45.

Ladies' Grey Canvas Oxfords, Louis heel, regular \$5.00 for \$3.45.

Everything in the store in the line of summer goods at practically wholesale price.

Men's Straw Hats, Mexican style, 75c.

Prints, in light or dark colors, 30c a yard.

Full Line of Fleet Foot Shoes for men, women and children. Lowest prices.

Fresh Fruit arriving daily.

All Groceries at rock bottom prices.

A. McKinney & Son

J. M. SOBY'S Great Unloading Sale

Bargains in every department

The greatest price cutting event in the history of Claresholm.

Miss it if you dare

J. M. SOBY

DEPARTMENTAL STORE CLARESHOLM

Victor Records

All the latest numbers in stock.

Big Ben Alarms

Baby Ben Alarms

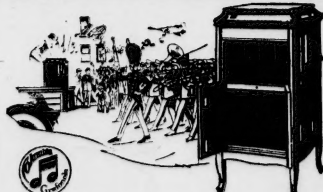
Pocket Ben Watches \$2.50

G. M. GODLEY

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Claresholm

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES



It is the Band!

You can fairly see it swinging down the street. You can hear the cornet's clarion call, the boom, boom of the bassoon, the rumble of the drums. Every note of every selection, to the very end—it is the band, when you play

Columbia Records

of band music on the Columbia Grafonols—hear these:

Entry of the Gladiators, March and The Gladiators Farewell March, H. M. Scott's Band, 4001, \$1.00
 Colonel Rogers March and Sons of the Brave March, Columbia Band, 4002, \$1.00
 Conqueror March and Death or Glory March, St. Hilda Colliery Band, 4003, \$1.00
 National Emblem March and Washington Grays March, Prince's Band, 4004, \$1.00

A few new recordings:

Bright Eyes and Underneath Hawaiian Skies, Xylophone Solon, Jess Lilienal, 4006, \$1.00
 I Can't Keep Still To-night and Blame It On to Poor Old Father, Comic Songs, Billy Williams, 4007, \$1.00
 My Mammy, Fox Trot, Yorker's Jazzmania Orchestra and Do You Ever Think of Me? Fox Trot, The Happy Six, 4008, \$1.00
 Nettle Your Daddy's Arm and I Spoiled You, Fox Tots, Art Hickman's Orchestra, 4009, \$1.00

O. L. REINECKE

Columbia Agent

Claresholm

Rex Theater ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Rex Theater will be closed next week. There will be no show on Friday and Saturday July 29 and 30. Will re-open Friday and Saturday, Aug. 5-6

Forest Mills Ltd.

Our mill is running now and we have all kinds of good lumber on hand. Those wishing bargains in lumber it will pay them to go to the mill and see for themselves.

T. D. LEWIS, President

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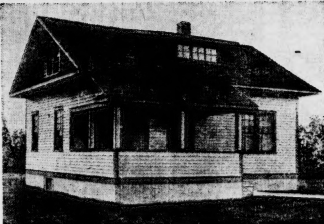
Presents Lines of new Master Six and Light Six series will be
continued in the 1922 season.

Beginning June 1st, the new series and prices will be as follows:
F. O. B. Oshawa, Ont.

| Master Sixes: | OLD PRICE | NEW PRICE |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Model 22-41 Three Passenger Roadster, cord tires | \$2500.00 | \$2215.00 |
| Model 22-42 Five Passenger Touring, cord tires | 3550.00 | 2245.00 |
| Model 22-43 Three Passenger Coupe, cord tires | 3405.00 | 2995.00 |
| Model 22-44 Five Passenger Sedan, cord tires | 3920.00 | 3445.00 |
| Model 22-45 Four Passenger Coupe, cord tires | 4050.00 | 3345.00 |
| Model 22-46 Seven Passenger Touring, cord tires | 2985.00 | 2555.00 |
| Model 22-47 Seven Passenger Sedan, cord tires | 4250.00 | 3795.00 |
| Light Sixes: | OLD PRICE | NEW PRICE |
| Model 22-51 Roadster | 1805.00 | 1615.00 |
| Model 22-52 Five Passenger Touring | 1805.00 | 1620.00 |
| Model 22-53 Coupe, Three Passenger | 2040.00 | 2080.00 |
| Model 22-54 Sedan, Five Passenger | 2545.00 | 2435.00 |

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McLaughlin Motor Car Co., Ltd.
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Vanhorn & Stebbins, Limited
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HOME KILLED MEATS

Fresh Halibut and Salmon will soon be arriving fresh from the coast.

Phone orders receive prompt attention.

D. A. ANDERSON

Clareholm Local News

Only eighteen days till the Clareholm Fair.

"Down on the Farm" was a rip roaring comedy.

Mrs. Frank Murray was visiting friends in Calgary last week.

Car of oats due to arrive next week.—Alberta Pacific Grain Co.

The Rex theater will be closed next week, opening again August 5th and 6th.

Wallace Davis and T. E. Chilton left on Thursday for a fishing trip in the Crow's Nest Pass country.

The monthly meeting of the U. F. W. A. will be held in the rest room on Saturday, July 30th, at 2:30 p.m.

There will be team practice for the initiatory degree, at I. O. O. F. Lodge on Monday night. The degree master would like to see as many present as possible.

The race and sports program for the Clareholm Fair is out. A fine program has been arranged. There will also be Midway attractions both days of the Fair.

The vaudeville orchestra put up fine music for the dance after the show on Wednesday night, but owing to the dance at the Clareholm the attendance was not large.

The Meadow Creek stampede was a notable success. There was a big crowd, good sports, and the extremely hot weather added to the enjoyment of the ice cream pop and lemonade.

Mark Fisher left on Wednesday morning for Ontario where he will visit his mother, and old friends as well, for about three weeks. Mrs. Fisher is now visiting in Ontario where she has been for a short time.

Come and hear Evangelist A. C. Metcalf, of Red Deer, Alta., at large brown tent (west side of town) July 22-August 7. Old, orthodox, Wesleyan truth. Services every night and three times on Sundays. Rev. Metcalf is a man of fiery eloquence. Don't miss hearing him.

On Thursday a Danish section hand named Sven, working on the railway between Staveland and Clareholm, fell off the speeder, falling in front of the car, and was considerably cut and bruised. It is not known just what caused the accident. He was taken to the Macleod hospital the same evening.

Under date of July 5th T. D. Lewis writes from Los Angeles, stating that the family are now settled in Hollywood. Mr. Lewis made the trip over the Soo Line through Dakota and Minnesota to St. Paul and from there travelled through Minnesota, Iowa, and Missouri, and reports the crops looking fine all the way. The Kansas wheat crop is good, as also good and the harvest in progress at the time he passed through, in the central and western parts of the state. Cutting was being done with headers and threshing direct from the headers.

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Give us a trial.

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STRAYED

From C. A. O'Neill's, Clareholm, 1 three year old mare, two white hind feet, and 1 yearling filly, both branded as cut on right shoulder. Have been missing since spring. Phone C. A. O'Neill, R613, Clareholm.

Births

At Clareholm Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Strangways, July 11, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Symonds, July 18, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McLeod of Nanton, July 14, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Graham, July 21, a daughter.

Baseball

Following are the averages of the Clareholm team:

| Games | AB | H | Pct |
|------------------|----|----|--------|
| F. Callahan | 6 | 26 | 15 577 |
| G. A. Richardson | 5 | 16 | 7 431 |
| L. Lang | 8 | 35 | 15 430 |
| C. Schumaker | 8 | 38 | 14 368 |
| H. A. Fairbairn | 8 | 36 | 13 361 |
| E. Reid | 6 | 32 | 11 344 |
| O. D. Berg | 8 | 40 | 13 303 |
| O. D. Walker | 7 | 24 | 5 208 |
| J. E. Moffatt | 7 | 36 | 5 190 |
| M. Berg | 8 | 25 | 4 160 |
| R. Stebbins | 7 | 25 | 4 160 |
| E. Frederickson | 2 | 7 | 0 000 |

BUSINESS LOCALS

Mechanic, open to overhaul steam or gas engines, etc.; experienced. Address J. Thompson, Clareholm.

For Sale.—Aberdeen Angus bull 4 years old, price \$1000.00 Apply to T. R. Evans, Box 72, Phone R1016, Clareholm.

Protect your family with a good life insurance policy. The New York Mutual is the oldest and safest company doing business on the continent. Fraser & Peck are the Clareholm agents.

Seed Rye
FOR SALE

GEO. HARDIE

6 miles east and 6 miles north of Clareholm.

Phone 607 - Staveland

ESTRAY

On the premises of J. C. Dafoe, (Sec 23-12-29 W. 4) Lyndon P. O. Alberta.

One bay mare, black mane and tail, right hind foot white, white spot on forehead; about 7 years old. Branded on left thigh.

One dark brown filly, 2 years old; 4 white feet; white strip on forehead. Branded right thigh.

One black filly, 2 years old; small white spot on forehead. Branded on right thigh.

Dr. J. A. Mullin

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MacKenzie Block

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For particulars, from Canadian Pacific Railway Ticket Agent or J. E. PROCTOR, Dist. Passenger Agent, Calgary.

If you want a loan on your farm see Fraser & Peck.

Small Bank Accounts

We welcome even the smallest accounts and extend the same service to the patron depositing one dollar a week, as to the firm banking thousands. Moreover, that deposit of \$1 a week, continued regularly, and including interest at 3% compounded semi-annually, gives you a balance of \$280.26 in five years.

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Clareholm Branch
Barons Branch

A. P. Moore, Manager
A. M. Ramsay, Manager



Ford Cars Drop in Price

| | |
|--|----------|
| Chassis only without starter | \$629.87 |
| with starter | 716.97 |
| Runabout without starter | \$670.86 |
| with starter | 757.96 |
| Touring without starter | 737.47 |
| with starter | 824.57 |
| Truck without starter | 793.58 |
| with starter | 870.69 |
| Coupe with starter | 1,124.50 |
| Sedan with starter | 1,226.98 |
| Runabout, light delivery body, without starter | 699.55 |
| Tractor | 842.00 |

All above prices are F.O.B. Clareholm and include sales tax



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Experiments With Plants Result in Producing Rust Resisting Varieties

Certain diseases of plants have been successfully combated by the production of resistant varieties. This is the case with the wheat, cabbage, lettuce, melon, etc.

A systematic effort has been made to secure and test every variety of wheat for which rust resistance has been claimed anywhere. In addition, I have tested hundreds of varieties from nearly every wheat growing country of the world. The tests were made not only in the field over a series of years, but also in the greenhouse where the plants were inoculated artificially and where conditions can be made much more favorable for rust development than in the field.

Out of all the varieties tested less than a dozen showed true resistance, and of these none are of commercial value for other reasons unless it be one or two of the macaroni type whose drawbacks are familiar. Practically all the resistant varieties are durum or emmer, though a few resistant bread wheats have been found.

When resistant varieties were first secured, crossing experiments were begun. Without going into details it may be said that we showed conclusively that resistance transmitted in crosses and appeared in a certain proportion of the second generation hybrids. At least eight-hundred of the second generation hybrids were wholly susceptible and many show intermediate grades of resistance. In a series of experiments, for example, 214 second generation hybrids were quite susceptible, while only 21 were resistant. It was also conclusively shown that resistance present in a few of the hybrids was combined with many at least of the good qualities of the standard variety with which the cross had been made.

The production of good resistant varieties appeared therefore to be merely a question of making enough crosses and raising enough hybrid plants to secure the one resistant plant which would have all the other desirable qualities. It was recognized that this would be a big task because of the small percentage of resistant hybrids and because of the small percentage of these resistant hybrids which would possess the desirable qualities of the standard parent. Very large numbers were raised and tested and already in 1919 hybrids had been secured which were quite resistant to the rusts and which at the same time looked well in the field.

The prospects were completely changed by a very interesting and very disappointing discovery. We had found that pure varieties which had proved resistant for several years had suddenly appeared susceptible. We had supposed that this was due to some defect in our work—some unknown lack, or some error. But in 1919 it occurred again for one of our best strains had several of our hybrids. It then became probable and since has been proved that the discrepancies were due to different strains of rust-resistant which differ only in the violence of their attacks on particular varieties of wheat. —By Prof. W. P. Thompson, University of Saskatchewan.

Shipping B.C. Berries to England.

At the request of shippers of British Columbia, an investigation has been made by the Canadian Trade Commissioner in London, England, as to the possibilities of selling raspberries and strawberries to English jam manufacturers. Great interest was evinced in the results of the investigation and it is probable that shipments will be made, and there is strong possibility of a substantial trade being built up in shipping berries in a frozen condition to the overseas jam market.

Many Sailings From Pacific Coast.

The coastwise and offshore passenger business out of the port of Vancouver during the first quarter of 1921 was approximately 60,000 passengers. About 3,000 were bound for Oriental ports; the balance to United States, Alaska and British Columbia ports. One hundred and thirty thousand tons of freight and over thirty million feet of lumber and logs were exported.

Irish Settlers For Manitoba.

Two brothers and their families, numbering in all eighteen persons, arrived at Montreal recently from Dublin, Ireland, on the steamer "Metagama." They have purchased two thousand acres of farm land in the Lake Francis district of Manitoba.

W. N. U. 1574

Canadians Should Be Optimists

There is no danger of Ontario's bankruptcy. Be an optimist. Anyone can smile and see a great future for Canada when prices are jumping, every one is prosperous and we have a fresh supply of millions for breakfast every morning.

It takes a different brand of confidence to smile when the dollar looms up as if seen through a magnifying glass, and the breakfast food has changed from millions of millions for breakfast every morning.

But from all-over Canada come reports that indicate a bumper crop. The starvation that strates some countries in the face gives the Dominion a wide berth. There is work for everyone who is not too proud or delicate to work on the land.

All the while Canada's national resources are increasing in value. There is gold in the Northwest, oil in the Arctic circle, and billions of tons of coal waiting to be mined in the western provinces.

It is a period of universal poverty.

The world is strewn with bankrupt nations. And Canada looms up among them as one of the few nations left that is a nation.

Be an optimist—From the Toronto Telegram.

Reforestation Plans

Quebec City Will Adopt Regulations to Insure Permanence of Forest. An extensive plan of reforesting timber lands recently decided upon by the Chateaufort Pulp Company. The company has obtained the services of the Quebec Forestry Department to make a complete inventory of its timber reserves and the best method of their exploitation. It is said that the company will also have a regulation order to insure the permanence of its forest capital. The outline of the project has already been adopted and the company has lately sent one of its employees to Europe, where he will study European methods on the ground and can look to the best known practitioners in this field.

Has Station On Farm

Alberta Farmer Was Once 35 Miles From Railway. James MacCreedy, owner of what is said to be the largest irrigated farm in Alberta, has taken into partnership H. R. McCreedy, and the farm will be operated by an organization known as the Berry Creek Farming Company. The farm, located at Wardlaw, comprises 5,000 acres, and to date about \$100,000 has been expended on the project, including twelve miles of main ditches. When Mr. Suberthel was in the province he was twenty-five miles from the railway. Now he has a station on his farm.

Growth Of Saskatchewan

Province Has Seven Cities and Seventy-Eight Towns. Saskatchewan's growth since becoming a province in 1905 is very clearly illustrated in recently published figures. In 1905 there were only three cities in the province, and there are now seven. Towns have increased from sixteen to seventy-eight, and the number of organized villages from sixty-three to three hundred and thirty-seven. There were two municipalities in the newly created province which have grown in number to thirty-four and exist to the present time.

Vancouver Firm Secures Contract.

British Columbia's Western Canada Colonization Association has within its power to greatly assist the Government in the colonization of its unoccupied lands. The association has secured the construction of fifty miles of main ditches for the 100,000-acre project.

Road Work In Saskatchewan.

Road work totalling close onto two hundred miles is now in the course of construction by public subscription, as part of the Federal aid scheme. Some of the work is being done under contracts awarded to Saskatchewan Department of Highways, while other sections are being constructed by departmental day labor gangs.

Gold Bullion From Manitoba Mine.

Fifteen pounds of gold bullion, worth \$2,500, has been recently reduced from 25 tons of ore, have been brought to Winnipeg from Northern Manitoba by the present mining company. The gold was taken from the "Gold Flat" property at Rice Lake.

Opens Irish Parliament

King George V, who, accompanied by Queen Mary, visited Belfast, and delivered a message to the Irish people.

British Settlers Arrive

The Majority Had Farming Experience and Considerable Capital.

The Canadian Pacific steamer "Minicoda," which docked at Montreal recently had a total passenger list of 1,485, almost entirely British and of a very high standard. About eighty per cent. It was stated, were found for the land, the majority having had previous farming experience and being in possession of considerable capital.

Seeing Nature With The Ear

Blind Man Names Trees By Sound of Leaves.

A man in the north of England lost his sight at the age of 22. He took to walking about the roads and listening to sounds of life around him. Now he can recognize the trees by the sound of the wind blowing their leaves; and the noise of the rain upon a field tells him whether it is fallow or cropping.

He was engaged by the Park Commission of three northern cities to name the trees in their parks for the benefit of the blind.

The remarkable instance of the "second sense" possessed by Mr. Adolph Duncombe, President of the Guild of Blind Gardeners, of England.

Insurance In Saskatchewan

Total Amount in Force in 1920 Was \$208,000,921.

The total amount of life insurance in force in Saskatchewan in 1920 was \$208,000,921, as compared with \$172,506,392 in 1919, according to statistics compiled by Arthur E. Fisher, insurance commissioner of the province. The amount written during the year was \$75,591,347. Premiums collected during 1920 were approximately a million dollars more than in 1919.

The collection in 1920 being \$6,654,588, as compared with \$5,547,212 in 1919. The claims received in 1920 were \$1,295,999, while the claims paid totalled \$788,102.

Agricultural Survey

Manitoba to Make a Thorough Investigation Into Rural Life Conditions.

Plans are under way by the Manitoba Agricultural College for a survey of the province as respects conditions of weather on production, location of dry farms, successful methods of dry farming, location of frost areas, and the like. The survey will be conducted in the form of a series of expeditions, and will be conducted in the form of a series of expeditions, and will be conducted in the form of a series of expeditions.

Unique Industry For B.C.

There is a possibility of an Angora wool industry being started on Vancouver Island, utilizing the wool from the Angora rabbits which is claimed to be the finest and most valuable of all kinds of wool. The rabbits from which the test was made were bred at Prospect Lake, a short distance from Victoria.

Air Passenger Service.

Passengers from Gravelly Hill to France may now go by air in an hour and fifteen minutes at seven cents per mile. Who would have thought this ten years ago—Victoria Times.

The Low Coast Regions of Africa

are almost everywhere unhealthy.

Old-Time Yarns in the West

By O.G.E. MABES (Little Clerk).

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(Continued)

The furs were mottled, being wrapped up in canvas, but half of a braided cow buffalo robe and half a rabbit skin robe were seen. Never mind, I was too pleased to see the dogs again, so rewarded the boy handsomely and returned to Fairford in great style next day, the dog in its coat a hummer as myself; and then I promised never again would we admit a stranger to our ranks.

When Chief Factor Archie McDonald ordered me to take charge of the Fairford Post, his instructions were to secure the new master's house at once, if possible. Then I was to remove everything of value in the old fort and burn the buildings which had been up for many years. I was rather curious to know the why and wherefore as to burning the place, so I asked him his reason. "Oh," was his reply, "there are some folk stories current at Fairford as to them being haunted, for some bloody rovers took place there in the old drinking days."

Well, I reached Fairford all right and took possession of the place. I put an extra man or two on the new building and after settling down began making a few cautious inquiries as to what shape (if any) the stories were. Very soon I was in a position of satisfaction was given me, but I noted that Indians and the usual hangers on did not like to be near or in the post after dark.

This establishment was built in the usual way in the form of a quadrangle and surrounded with a wall of rough timber, at one end of the square the master's house and on each side were store houses, while the front was a sort of veranda with a large porch.

The native men's houses stood at some distance away outside the enclosure. I and my cook, a Lewi man named Malcom, were the only occupants of the fort at night; not though the only ones as I always had four famous dogs, Herod, Nero, Moro and Hero, who, if anyone touched me, would have had a bad time of it, as they were exceedingly fierce in relation to any person or animal, and I forgot to mention that a platform of heavy saw planks ran all round the house and most of these were rotten and so one had to be careful in stepping for they would tip up and come down with a bang.

The evening when the place was all quiet, Malcom came in from the kitchen and I saw by his embarrassed face that there was something on his mind. "Well, sir, master," and that was as far as he could get. However, I encouraged him, and hit by his words, he came out. He went on and sleep in the men's houses, and on asking his reasons, he said he kept the dogs in the kitchen and that the things smelling, though he could see nothing. He hated to go and leave me alone, but he could not sleep the way things were going on. I finally

permitted him to put a torch to the old fort.

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It was several weeks before the new residence was ready for occupancy, and during this time I constantly heard the same heavy trampings and rattlings, and there was no doubt the dogs were affected, as generally they were joyous creatures always ready to sport or play with me, and I was never so much as ever, I became used to the racket and yet was glad enough after vacation to return to put a torch to the old fort.

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German Vessel on St. Lawrence.

The Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of Britain" formerly known as the German "Kaiserin Augusta Victoria" has been officially assigned to the St. Lawrence route. The vessel, which was built in Germany, is expected to sail in July. With luxurious cabin equipment, built in 1905 especially for the New York run, she will be operated as a three-class boat.

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WAPTA LAKE CAMP



Wapta Camp from East End of Lake looking towards Kicking Horse Pass.

About eight miles west of Lake Louise Station on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, just before entering the Kicking Horse Canyon, the train notices a very beautiful sheet of water named Wapta Lake, sheltered from the north by a high and massive mountain capped by eternal snow. On the shores of this lake, facing a magnificent Alpine panorama, is a beautiful bungalow camp has been constructed, which opened for visitors on July 1st and will provide a comfortable and convenient center for those who desire to explore one of the most romantic and picturesque districts in the Canadian Pacific Rockies. The lake itself is at an elevation of 5,100 feet above sea level, and forms a peak scaling up to over 11,000 feet. It is only half a day's walk from Lake O'Hara, which has been selected as the site of the Annual Camp of the Alpine Club of Canada for 1921. Lake O'Hara, however, is more than a century for Alpine climbers. It was selected by John S. Sargent, the famous artist as one of the most beautiful places he could find in the Rockies, and is renowned as it is with mountains of wild and rugged grandeur which at the same time compose into pictures of soft and lovely beauty.

Wapta Lake is actually in British Columbia, just over the Great Divide, which will undoubtedly be a favorite trip from the Camp. Ten minutes walk to the west of the Camp, the Kicking Horse Canyon begins, down which one can walk, ride or drive. From the west end of Wapta Lake to Field is less than twelve miles, while the distance to Yoho Falls in the Yoho Valley is ten miles, and to Emerald Lake is fourteen miles. To reach the north, one can reach Strathcona and Ross Lakes in about an hour and a half, or the variety of excursions offered to those who stay at this Camp is remarkable.

Wapta Lake Camp is constructed on the same lines as the Lake Windermere Camp, which proved so popular last summer. It was a central Community House for dining and recreation purposes 30 feet square with a wide gallery round the sides. The kitchen is a large building, 70 x 20 ft., while the cottages are of varying sizes and single-story cottages being 28 x 14 ft. and single-story cottages 14 x 12 ft. Each cottage is equipped with a small heater and there are on account of the excellent natural light in the camp. The Camp is within the jurisdiction of the Dominion Parks Authorities, and subject to the Dominion Parks regulations, which are very strict in guarding against forest fires, and in the vicinity of the Camp and forbid any dealing in liquor on the premises. The Camp occupies an area of three acres, and the rustic bungalow character of the buildings gives it a very attractive appearance. About 50 cottages can be accommodated at one time. Two bath houses for men and one for ladies are supplied with hot and cold running water and toilet facilities.

Better is the Station for Wapta Lake Camp and for the convenience of visitors a motor launch will connect with a landing stage in front of the Camp. Transfer charges from Station to Camp is 25 cents each way. Saddle horses and guides will be available for those who wish to ride and telephone connection with the Lake Louise will make it easy to communicate with those who have engaged any of the Company's Swiss Guides. These guides are in great demand, and their services should be requisitioned well in advance.

One of the most thrilling trips in the whole Canadian Pacific Rockies can be made from Wapta Lake Camp. This is by way of Lake Louise over the Victoria Glacier to Abbott Pass under the great precipices of Lefroy. After the summit of this Pass one reaches Lake Oesa, from which one gets an exquisite view of Lake O'Hara down below. From Lake O'Hara, an easy trail down Cataract Creek brings one back to Wapta Lake. This, of course, is a somewhat strenuous trip and requires Swiss Guides.

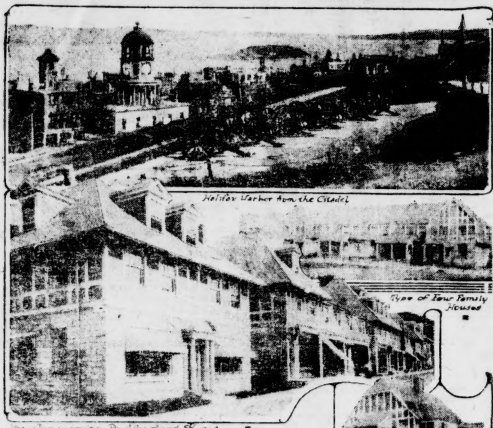
An easier trip on a saddle ponies through magnificent Alpine scenery is through the Yoho Valley to Emerald Lake or over the Burgess Pass to Field. A four-hundred foot fall will drive down the Kicking Horse Pass on a road which follows the old C.P.R. grade.

The rates for Wapta Lake Camp are very moderate, being \$5.50 per day for those who can make only a short stay, and \$5.00 for those who can stay a week or more.

The C.P.R. passenger trains will stop at Hector while the Camp is in operation, with the exception of trains Nos. 7, 8 and 9.

The Camp will be operated by Colonel H. Moore and Mrs. Moore.

HOW HALIFAX SOLVED ITS GREAT HOUSING PROBLEM



Julian Macdonald, M.P., the Minister.

View of New House.

Three years ago Halifax, "Canada's Most Southern Gateway," was about the most depressing town in the world, with its streets in a state of ruin. When the French Canadian ship "Mont Blanc" was wrecked on the rocks of the harbor, it was a disaster of the first magnitude. Halifax has been the scene of a higher, better and more beautiful city than it was before the T.N.C.I. blast because its great housing problem has been solved successfully and because the new is even better than the old. As a wounded war veteran Halifax received a bonus of \$20,000,000 from the United States, Great Britain and the United States, and the work and a company with full power to deal with the problem was appointed. Fifty,000 people were comfortably housed in temporary barracks resembling a

mainstream camp, 15,000 homes were repaired and 10,000 homes reconstructed. 6,000 people have been built by the company. The new buildings of 15-story, or concrete houses, there are 12 buildings containing four dwellings each and the remainder contain from two to six families. Each row faces a park and in the rear is a service lane. Each building has all modern conveniences and is electrically and centrally heated.

Halifax is the chief city of Nova Scotia, the "Land of the Bay of Fundy," and has one of the finest as well as one of the most beautiful harbors in the world. Overlooking the city is the old Citadel with its stone walls, moats, ditches and frowning can-

New Hydro-House

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